

June 3, 1942.

Mr. Thomas F. Kelley,  
Board of Education,  
Paterson, N. J.

Dear Mr. Kelley:

I have to write you this letter which disturbs me very much. Due to the fact that one of our Teams cancelled the originally scheduled game for Sunday, June 7th, there has been several changes necessary as the result. The team in question was scheduled to play The Eagles, as they left us without an attraction, we are forced to place ourselves elsewhere, the Sunday in question was June 7th. In changing this June 7th date we had to team up with a Club and go West, this means we will not be in this neighborhood for Saturday, June 13th. We were scheduled with the Black Yankees in Paterson on this date.

We contacted the Yankees over a week ago and explained to them what had happened. We asked them to contact you directly, if they could bring another team into Paterson on that date. I have not heard from them up to now and felt I should notify you in case they do not bring another team in you will understand what has happened. I have asked Mr. Semler to contact you directly. I would like to have changed the game between the Black Yankees and the Eagles from Saturday, June 13th in the afternoon to Friday, July 3rd twilight. As I have been unable to contact Mr. Semler to date, I cannot ask you to reserve that day for us. I am sending a copy of this letter to Mr. Semler:

I am very sorry this change in schedule took place because these things are always very confusing.

Very truly yours,

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